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(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		10/06/0	^^1
Application Number 10/046,497		Filed 10/26/2001	
For Growth of Facet Using Spacer			
Art Unit 2814		Examiner Er-Xuan Ping	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
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